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April 10, 2006

Ms. Diana Whitney  
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
P.O. Box 145801  
Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6100

RE: Bonanza 1023-1N  
T10S-R23E  
Section 1: SESW  
992' FSL, 2,274' FWL  
Uintah County, Utah

Dear Ms. Whitney:

Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP, formerly known as Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P. has submitted a permit to drill the captioned well to test the Wasatch and Mesaverde formations. The well is located at an exception location to Spacing Order 179-12. The well location was moved for topographic reasons. Kerr-McGee owns 100% of the leasehold within 460 feet of the exception location of the offset lands and has no objection to the exception location.

Kerr-McGee requests your approval of this exception location. If you have any questions, call me at 720-264-2618. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'W. Chris Latimer', with a stylized flourish at the end.

W. Chris Latimer, CPL  
Senior Landman

cc: Raleen Weddle

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UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0136  
Expires November 30, 2000

5. Lease Serial No.

UTU-38423

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No.

WU 82190

8. Lease Name and Well No.

BONANZA 1023-1N

9. API Well No.

43-047-38301

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory

11. Sec., T., R., M., or Blk, and Survey or Area

SEC 1, T10S, R23E

12. County or Parish

UINTAH

13. State

UTAH

1a. Type of Work: ☒ DRILL

☐ REENTER

b. Type of Well: ☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other

☐ Single Zone ☒ Multiple Zone

2. Name of Operator

KERR MCGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP

3A. Address

1368 SOUTH 1200 EAST VERNAL, UT 84078

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

(435) 781-7024

4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements. \*)

At surface

SESW 992'FSL, 2274'FWL 647207X 39. 973 376

At proposed prod. Zone

4426015Y -109. 276208

14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office\*

32.2 MILES SOUTHEAST OF OURAY, UTAH

15. Distance from proposed\* location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)

992'

16. No. of Acres in lease

400.00

17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well

40.00

18. Distance from proposed location\* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft.

REFER TO  
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19. Proposed Depth

7710'

20. BLM/BLA Bond No. on file

BOND NO: WY-2357

21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)

5413'GL

22. Approximate date work will start\*

23. Estimated duration

24. Attachments

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.
2. A Drilling Plan.
3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office.

4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above).
5. Operator certification.
6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized office.

25. Signature

Name (Printed/Typed)

SHEILA UPCHEGO

Date

6/15/2006

Title

REGULATORY ANALYST

Approved by (Signature)

Name (Printed/Typed)

BRADLEY G. HILL

Date

06-22-06

Title

Off ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGER

Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

\*(Instructions on reverse)

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Federal Approval of this  
Action is Necessary

LONGITUDE = 109°16'33.83" (109.276064)

**BONANZA #1023-1N  
SE/SW Sec. 1, T10S,R23E  
UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH  
UTU-38423**

**ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1**

***DRILLING PROGRAM***

**1. Estimated Tops of Important Geologic Markers:**

<u>Formation</u>	<u>Depth</u>
Uinta	0- Surface
Green River	780'
Top of Birds Nest Water	1293'
Mahogany	1905'
Wasatch	3885'
Mesaverde	5816'
MVU2	6588'
MVL1	7127'
TD	7710'

**2. Estimated Depths of Anticipated Water, Oil, Gas, or Mineral Formations:**

<u>Substance</u>	<u>Formation</u>	<u>Depth</u>
Water	Green River	780'
	Top of Birds Nest Water	1293'
	Mahogany	1905'
Gas	Wasatch	3885'
Gas	Mesaverde	5816'
Gas	MVU2	6588'
Gas	MVL1	7127'
Water	N/A	
Other Minerals	N/A	

**3. Pressure Control Equipment (Schematic Attached)**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*

**4. Proposed Casing & Cementing Program:**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*

**5. Drilling Fluids Program:**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*

**6. Evaluation Program:**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*

7. **Abnormal Conditions:**

Maximum anticipated bottomhole pressure calculated at 7710' TD, approximately equals 4780 psi (calculated at 0.62 psi/foot).

Maximum anticipated surface pressure equals approximately 3084 psi (bottomhole pressure minus the pressure of a partially evacuated hole calculated at 0.22 psi/foot).

8. **Anticipated Starting Dates:**

*Drilling is planned to commence immediately upon approval of this application.*

9. **Variances:**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*

10. **Other Information:**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*



# KERR-McGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP **DRILLING PROGRAM**

COMPANY NAME KERR-McGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP DATE June 14, 2006  
 WELL NAME **BONANZA 1023-1N** TD 7,710' MD/TVD  
 FIELD Natural Buttes COUNTY Uintah STATE Utah ELEVATION 5,416' GL KB 5,431'  
 SURFACE LOCATION SESW SECTION 1, T10S, R23E 992'FSL, 2274'FWL BHL Straight Hole  
 Latitude: 39.973386 Longitude: 109.973386  
 OBJECTIVE ZONE(S) Wasatch/Mesaverde  
 ADDITIONAL INFO Regulatory Agencies: BLM (SURF & MINERALS), UDOGM, Tri-County Health Dept.

GEOLOGICAL			MECHANICAL		
LOGS	FORMATION	DEPTH	HOLE SIZE	CASING SIZE	MUD WEIGHT
		40'		14"	
			12-1/4"	9-5/8", 32.3#, H-40, STC	Air mist
Catch water sample, if possible, from 0 to 3,885'					
	Green River @	0,780'			
	Top of Birds Nest Water @	1293'			
	Preset f/ GL @				
	1,800' MD				
Note: 12.25" surface hole will usually be drilled ±400' below the bottom of lost circulation zone. Drilled depth may be ±200' of the estimated set depth depending on the actual depth of the loss zone.					
	Mahogany @	1,905'			
Mud logging program TBD					
Open hole logging program f/ TD - surf csg			7-7/8"	4-1/2", 11.6#, I-80 or equivalent LTC casing	Water/Fresh Water Mud 8.3-11.0 ppg
	Wasatch @	3,885'			
	Mverde @	5,816'			
	MVU2 @	6,588'			
	MVL1 @	7,127'			
	TD @	7,710'			Max anticipated Mud required 11.0 ppg



# KERR-McGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP DRILLING PROGRAM

## CASING PROGRAM

	SIZE	INTERVAL	WT.	GR.	CPLG.	DESIGN FACTORS		
						BURST	COLLAPSE	TENSION
CONDUCTOR	14"	0-40'				2270	1370	254000
SURFACE	9-5/8"	0 to 1800	32.30	H-40	STC	0.84*****	1.63	4.99
						7780	6350	201000
PRODUCTION	4-1/2"	0 to 7710	11.60	I-80	LTC	2.87	1.44	2.58

1) Max Anticipated Surf. Press. (MASP) (Surface Casing) = (Pore Pressure at next csg point - (0.22 psi/ft-partial evac gradient x TVD of next csg point))

2) MASP (Prod Casing) = Pore Pressure at TD - (.22 psi/ft-partial evac gradient x TD)

(Burst Assumptions: TD = 11.0 ppg)

.22 psi/ft = gradient for partially evac wellbore

(Collapse Assumption: Fully Evacuated Casing, Max MW)

(Tension Assumptions: Air Weight of Casing \* Buoy. Fact. of water)

MASP 2714 psi

\*\*\*\*\* Burst SF is low but csg is much stronger than formation at 2000'. EMW @ 2000' for 2270# is 21.8 ppg or 1.13 psi/ft

## CEMENT PROGRAM

		FT. OF FILL	DESCRIPTION	SACKS	EXCESS	WEIGHT	YIELD
SURFACE Option 1	LEAD	500	Premium cmt + 2% CaCl + .25 pps flocele	215	60%	15.60	1.18
	TOP OUT CMT (1)	200	20 gals sodium silicate + Premium cmt + 2% CaCl + .25 pps flocele	50		15.60	1.18
	TOP OUT CMT (2)	as required	Premium cmt + 2% CaCl	as req.		15.60	1.18
SURFACE Option 2		NOTE: If well will circulate water to surface, option 2 will be utilized					
	LEAD	1500	Prem cmt + 16% Gel + 10 pps gilsonite + .25 pps Flocele + 3% salt BWOC	170	35%	11.00	3.82
	TAIL	500	Premium cmt + 2% CaCl + .25 pps flocele	180	35%	15.60	1.18
	TOP OUT CMT	as required	Premium cmt + 2% CaCl	as req.		15.60	1.18
PRODUCTION	LEAD	3,380'	Premium Lite II + 3% KCl + 0.25 pps celloflake + 5 pps gilsonite + 10% gel + 0.5% extender	370	60%	11.00	3.38
	TAIL	4,330'	50/50 Poz/G + 10% salt + 2% gel + .1% R-3	1210	60%	14.30	1.31

\*Substitute caliper hole volume plus 0% excess for LEAD if accurate caliper is obtained

\*Substitute caliper hole volume plus 10% excess for TAIL if accurate caliper is obtained

## FLOAT EQUIPMENT & CENTRALIZERS

SURFACE	Guide shoe, 1 jt, insert float. Centralize first 3 joints with bow spring centralizers. Thread lock guide shoe.
PRODUCTION	Float shoe, 1 jt, float collar. Centralize first 3 joints & every third joint to top of tail cement with bow spring centralizers.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Test casing head to 750 psi after installing. Test surface casing to 1,500 psi prior to drilling out.

BOPE: 11" 5M with one annular and 2 rams. Test to 5,000 psi (annular to 2,500 psi) prior to drilling out. Record on chart recorder & tour sheet. Function test rams on each trip. Maintain safety valve & inside BOP on rig floor at all times. Kelly to be equipped with upper & lower kelly valves.

Drop Tolco surveys every 2000'. Maximum allowable hole angle is 5 degrees.

Most rigs have PVT Systems for mud monitoring. If no PVT is available, visual monitoring will be utilized.

DRILLING ENGINEER:

Brad Laney

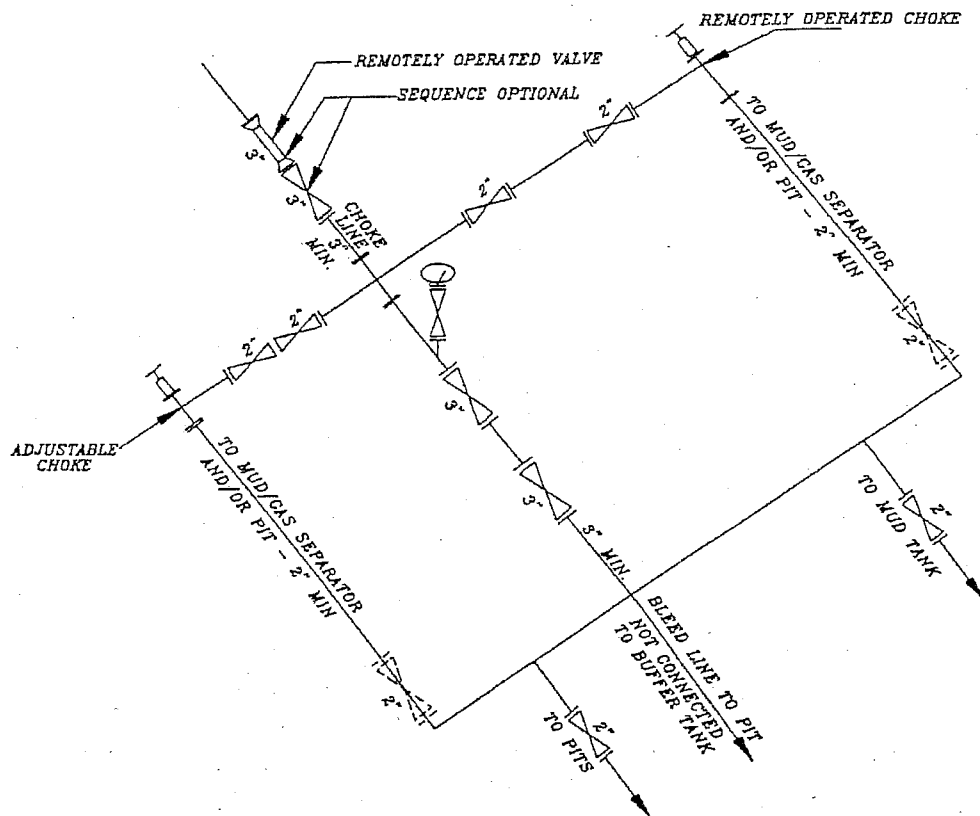
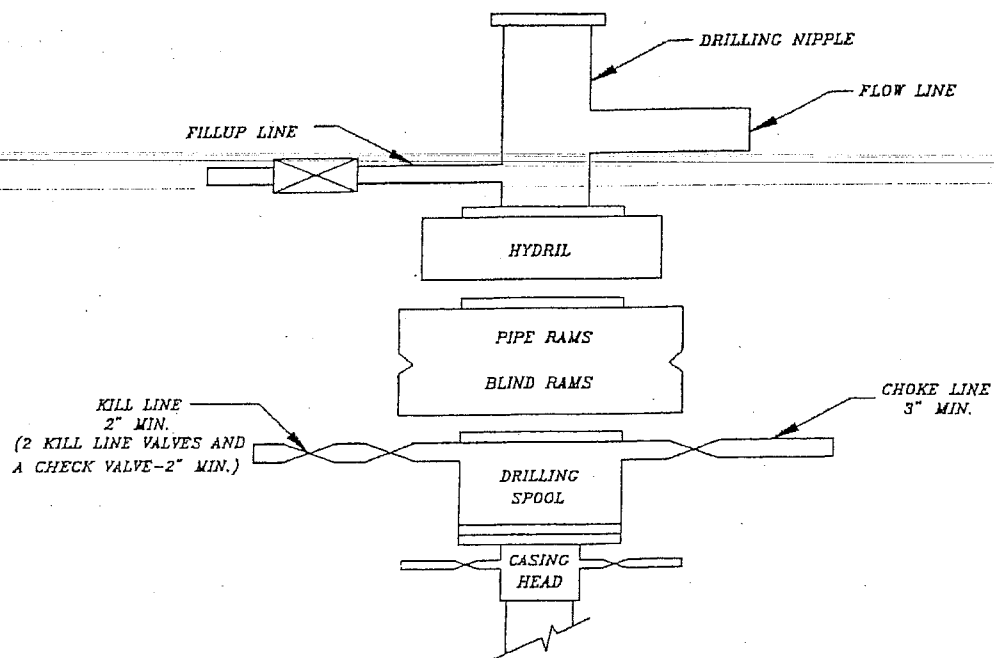
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DRILLING SUPERINTENDENT:

Randy Bayne

DATE:

# 5M BOP STACK and CHOKE MANIFOLD SYSTEM





**BONANZA 1023-1N  
SE/SW SECTION 1, T10S, R23E  
UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH  
UTU-38423**

**ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1**

***MULTI-POINT SURFACE USE & OPERATIONS PLAN***

**1. Existing Roads:**

Directions to the proposed location are attached.

Refer to Topo Maps A and B for location of access roads within a 2-mile radius.

All existing roads will be maintained and kept in good repair during all drilling and completion operations associated with this well.

**2. Planned Access Roads:**

Approximately 0.3 +/- miles of new access road is proposed. Refer to Top Map B.

The access road will be crowned (2 to 3%), ditched and constructed with a running surface of 18 feet and a maximum disturbed width of 30 feet. Graveling or capping the roadbed will be performed as necessary to provide a well constructed, safe road. Prior to construction or upgrading, the proposed road shall be cleared of any snow and allowed to dry completely.

Surface disturbance and vehicular traffic will be limited to the proposed location and proposed access route. Any additional area needed will be approved in advance. All construction shall be in conformance with the standards outlined in the BLM and Forest Service publication: Surface Operating Standards for Oil and Gas Exploration and Development. 1989.

The road surface and shoulders will be kept in a safe and usable condition and will be maintained in accordance with the original construction standards. All drainage ditches will be kept clear and free-flowing and will be maintained according to original construction standards. The access road surface will be kept free of trash during operations. All traffic will be confined to the approved disturbed surface. Road drainage crossings shall be designed so they will not cause siltation or accumulation of debris in the drainage crossing or shall the drainages be blocked by the road bed. Erosion of drainage ditches by runoff water shall be prevented by diverting water off at frequent intervals by means of cutouts. Should mud holes develop, they shall be filled in and detours around them avoided. When snow is removed from the road during the winter months, the snow shall be pushed outside of the borrow ditches, and the turnouts kept clear so that snowmelt will be channeled away from the road.

**3. Location of Existing Wells Within a 1-Mile Radius:**

Please refer to Topo Map C.

**4. Location of Existing & Proposed Facilities & Pipelines:**

*The following guidelines will apply if the well is productive.*

All production facilities will be located on the disturbed portion of the well pad and at a minimum of 25 feet from the toe of the back slope or the top of the fill slope.

A dike will be constructed completely around those production facilities which contain fluids (i.e., production tanks, produced water tanks, and/or heater/treater). These dikes will be constructed of compacted subsoil, be impervious, hold 100% of the capacity of the largest tank, and be independent of the back cut.

All permanent (on-site six months or longer) above the ground structures constructed or installed, including pumping units, will be painted a flat, non-reflective, earthtone color to match one of the standard environmental colors, as determined by the five state Rocky Mountain Inter-Agency Committee.

All facilities will be painted within six months of installation. Facilities required to comply with the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) will be excluded. The requested color is Carlsbad Canyon (2.5 Y 6/2) as determined during the on-site inspection.

Any necessary pits will be properly fenced to protect livestock and prevent wildlife entry.

**Variances to Best Management Practices (BMP) Requests:**

Approximately 1434' of 4" steel pipeline is proposed to tie-in to an existing pipeline. Please refer to the Topo Map D. The pipeline will be butt-welded together.

The pipeline shall be installed on surface within access corridor for the well location. As a Best Management Practice (BMP), the pipeline would be buried within the access road corridor if possible. The construction of pipelines requires the corridor of 30 feet.

This exception to the BMP should be granted by the BLM Authorized Officer because indurated bedrock, such as sandstone, is at or within 2 feet of the surface and the soil has a poor history for successful rehabilitation.

**5. Location and Type of Water Supply:**

Water for drilling purposes will be obtained from Dalbo Inc.'s underground well located in Ouray, Utah, Sec.32, T4S,R3E, Water User Claim #43-8496, Application #53617.

Water will be hauled to location over the roads marked on Maps A and B.

No water well is to be drilled on this lease.

6. **Source of Construction Materials:**

Surface and subsoil materials in the immediate area will be utilized.

Any gravel will be obtained from a commercial source.

7. **Methods of Handling Waste Materials:**

Drill cuttings will be contained and buried in the reserve pit.

Drilling fluids, including salts and chemicals, will be contained in the reserve pit. Upon termination of drilling and completion operations, the liquid contents of the reserve pit will be removed and disposed of at an approved waste disposal facility within 120 days after drilling is terminated.

The reserve pit will be constructed on the location and will not be located within natural drainage, where a flood hazard exists or surface runoff will destroy or damage the pit walls. The reserve pit will be constructed so that it will not leak, break, or allow discharge of liquids.

A plastic reinforced liner is to be used as discussed during on-site inspection. It will be a minimum of 20 mil thick and felt with sufficient bedding used to cover any rocks. The liner will overlap the pit walls and be covered with dirt and/or rocks to hold it in place. No trash or scrap that could puncture the liner will be disposed of in the pit.

Any spills of oil, gas, salt water, or other noxious fluids will be immediately cleaned up and removed to an approved disposal site.

A chemical porta-toilet will be furnished with the drilling rig.

Garbage, trash, and other waste materials will be collected in a portable, self-contained, fully enclosed trash cage during operations. No trash will be burned on location.

All debris and other waste material not contained in the trash cage will be cleaned up and removed from the location immediately after removal of the drilling rig.

Any open pits will be fenced during the operations. The fencing will be maintained until such time as the pits are backfilled.

No chemicals subject to reporting under SARA Title III (hazardous materials) in an amount greater than 10,000 pounds will be used, produced, stored, transported, or disposed of annually in association with the drilling of this well. Furthermore, no extremely hazardous substances, as defined in 40 CFR 355, in threshold planning quantities, will be used, produced, stored, transported, or disposed of in association with the drilling of this well.

*Any produced water from the proposed well will be contained in a water tank and will then be hauled by truck to one of the pre-approved disposal sites: RNI, Sec. 5, T9S, R22E, NBU #159, Sec. 35, T9S, R21E, Ace Oilfield, Sec. 2, T6S, R20E, MC&MC, Sec. 12, T6S, R19E. (Request is in lieu of filing Form 3160-5, after initial production).*

8. **Ancillary Facilities:**

None are anticipated.

9. **Well Site Layout:** (See Location Layout Diagram)

The attached Location Layout Diagram describes drill pad cross-sections, cuts and fills, and locations of the mud tanks, reserve pit, flare pit, pipe racks, trailer parking, spoil dirt stockpile(s), and surface material stockpile(s).

Please see the attached diagram to describe rig orientation, parking areas, and access roads.

39 inch net wire will be used with at least one strand of barbed wire on top of the net wire. Barbed wire is not necessary if pipe or some type of reinforcement rod is attached to the top of the entire fence.

The net wire shall be no more than two inches above the ground. The barbed wire shall be three inches over the net wire. Total height of the fence shall be at least 42 inches.

Corner posts shall be cemented and/or braced in such a manner to keep the fence tight at all times.

Standard steel, wood, or pipe posts shall be used between the corner braces. Maximum distance between any 2 fence posts shall be no greater than 16 feet.

All wire shall be stretched, by using a stretching device, before it is attached to corner posts.

The reserve pit fencing will be on three sides during drilling operations, and on the fourth side when the rig moves off location. Pits will be fenced and maintained until cleanup.

10. **Plans for Reclamation of the Surface:**

*Producing Location:*

Immediately upon well completion, the location and surrounding area will be cleared of all unused tubing, materials, trash, and debris not required for production.

Immediately upon well completion, any hydrocarbons in the pit shall be removed in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.7-1.

Before any dirt work associated with location restoration takes place, the reserve pit shall be as dry as possible. All debris in it will be removed. Other waste and spoil materials will be disposed of immediately upon completion of operations.

The reserve pit and that portion of the location not needed for production facilities/operations will be recontoured to the approximate natural contours. The reserve pit will be reclaimed within 90 days from the date of well completion, weather permitting.

To prevent surface water (s) from standing (ponding) on the reclaimed reserve pit area, final reclamation of the reserve pit will consist of "mounding" the surface three feet above surrounding ground surface to allow the reclaimed pit area to drain effectively.

Upon completion of backfilling, leveling, and recontouring, the stockpiled topsoil will be spread evenly over the reclaimed area(s).

*Dry Hole/Abandoned Location:*

Abandoned well sites, roads, and other disturbed areas will be restored as near as practical to their original condition. Where applicable, these conditions include the re-establishment of irrigation systems, the re-establishment of appropriate soil conditions, and re-establishment of vegetation as specified.

All disturbed surfaces will be recontoured to the approximate natural contours, with reclamation of the well pad and access road to be performed as soon as practical after final abandonment. Reseeding operations will be performed after completion of other reclamation operations.

When the pit is backfilled, the topsoil pile shall be spread on the location up to the rig anchor points. The location will be reshaped to the original contour to the extent possible. The following seed mixture will be used to reclaim the surface for interim reclamation using appropriate reclamation methods. A total of 12 lbs/acre will be used if the seeds are drilled (24 lbs/acre if the seeds are broadcast). The per acre requirements for drilled seeds are:

Crested Wheatgrass	4 lbs.
Galleta Grass	10 lbs
Indian Rice Grass	4 lbs.

The operator shall call BLM for the seed mixture when final reclamation occurs.

**11. Surface Ownership:**

United States of America  
Bureau of Land Management  
170 South 500 East  
Vernal, UT 84078  
(435) 781-4400

**12. Other Information:**

A Class III Archaeological Report has been performed and completed on May 17, 2005, the Archaeological Report No. 05-117.

Paleontological Reconnaissance Report will be submitted when report becomes available.

**WILDLIFE STIPULATIONS:**

**MEXICAN SPOTTED OWL:** The operator will be committed to perform a one year survey for the MSO in the buffer zone. After a one year survey is complete and no findings of the MSO is found, the operator will not commence any construction or drilling activities from **March 15<sup>th</sup> – June 15<sup>th</sup>**.

All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with all applicable laws, regulations, the approved Plan of Operations, and any applicable Notice of

Lessees. The Operator is fully responsible for the actions of his subcontractors. A copy of these conditions will be furnished to the field representative to ensure compliance. The Operator will control noxious weeds along Rights-Of-Way for roads, pipelines, well sites, or other applicable facilities.

13. Lessee's or Operators's Representative & Certification:

Sheila Upchego  
Regulatory Analyst

Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP  
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Vernal, UT 84078  
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Randy Bayne  
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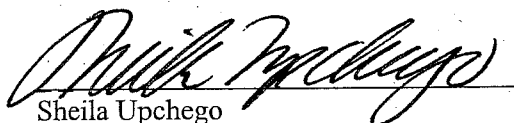
Certification: All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with all applicable laws, regulations, Onshore Oil and Gas Orders, the approved Plan of Operations, and any applicable Notice to Lessees.

The Operator will be fully responsible for the actions of its subcontractors. A complete copy of the approved "Application for Permit to Drill" will be furnished to the field representative(s) to ensure compliance and shall be on location during all construction and drilling operations.

Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP is considered to be the operator of the subject well. Westport Oil & Gas Company agrees to be responsible under the terms and the conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon leased lands.

Bond coverage pursuant to 43 CFR 3104 for the lease activities is being provided by BLM Nationwide Bond #WY-2357.

I hereby certify that the proposed drill site and access route has been inspected and that I am familiar with the conditions that currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by the Operator, its contractors, and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved.

  
Sheila Upchego

June 15, 2006  
Date

**Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP**  
**BONANZA #1023-1N**  
**SECTION 1, T10S, R23E, S.L.B.&M.**

PROCEED IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION FROM VERNAL, UTAH ALONG U.S. HIGHWAY 40 APPROXIMATELY 14.0 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF STATE HIGHWAY 88; EXIT LEFT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 17.0 MILES TO OURAY, UTAH; PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.3 MILES ON THE SEEP RIDGE ROAD TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE EAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN AN EASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 12.3 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTH; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 1.7 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE EAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN AN EASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 1.9 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTHEAST; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.5 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE EAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN AN EASTERLY, THEN SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 3.3 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTHWEST; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHWESTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.7 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTHEAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 5.1 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE NORTHEAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN A NORTHEASTERLY, THEN EASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 6.1 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND THE BEGINNING OF THE PROPOSED ROAD ACCESS TO THE SOUTHEAST; FOLLOW ROAD FLAGS IN A SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.3 MILES TO THE PROPOSED LOCATION.

TOTAL DISTANCE FROM VERNAL, UTAH TO THE PROPOSED WELL LOCATION IS APPROXIMATELY 63.2 MILES.

# Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

BONANZA #1023-1N  
LOCATED IN UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH  
SECTION 1, T10S, R23E, S.L.B.&M.

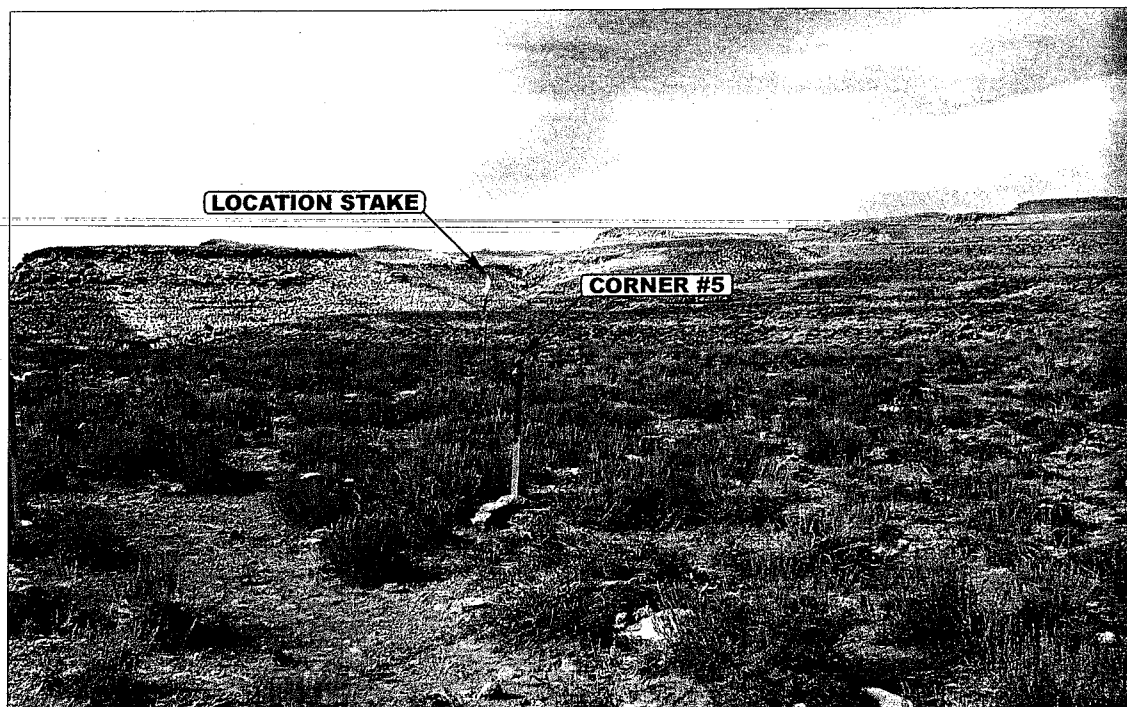


PHOTO: VIEW FROM CORNER #5 TO LOCATION STAKE

CAMERA ANGLE: SOUTHWESTERLY

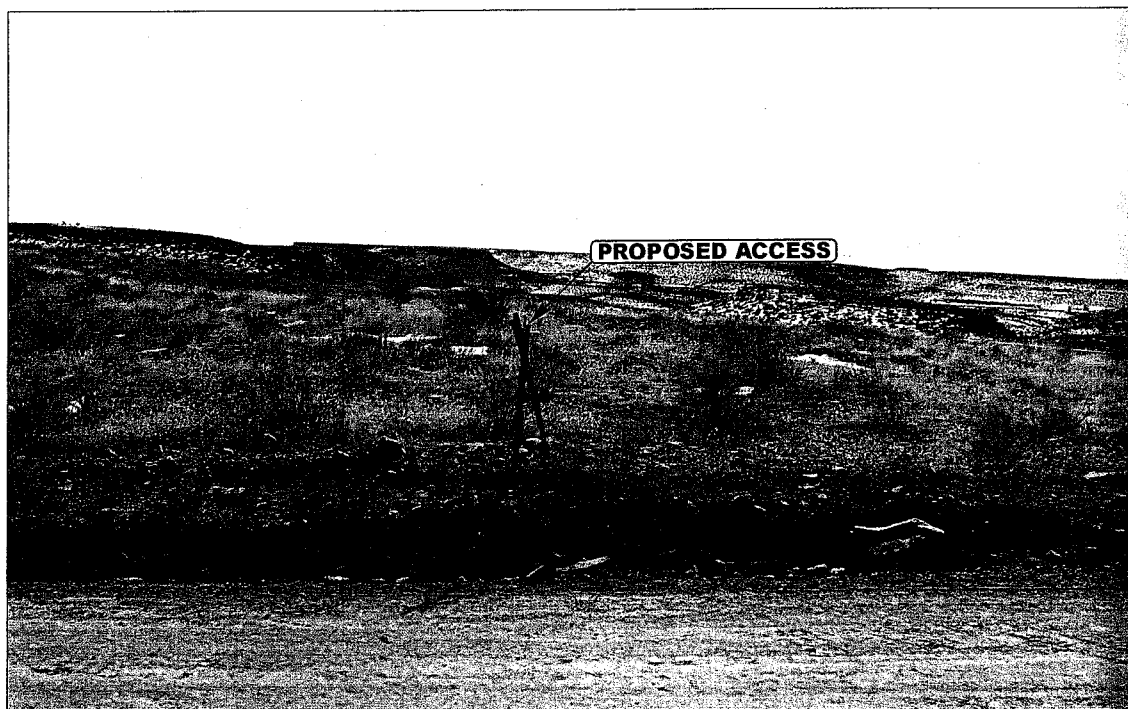


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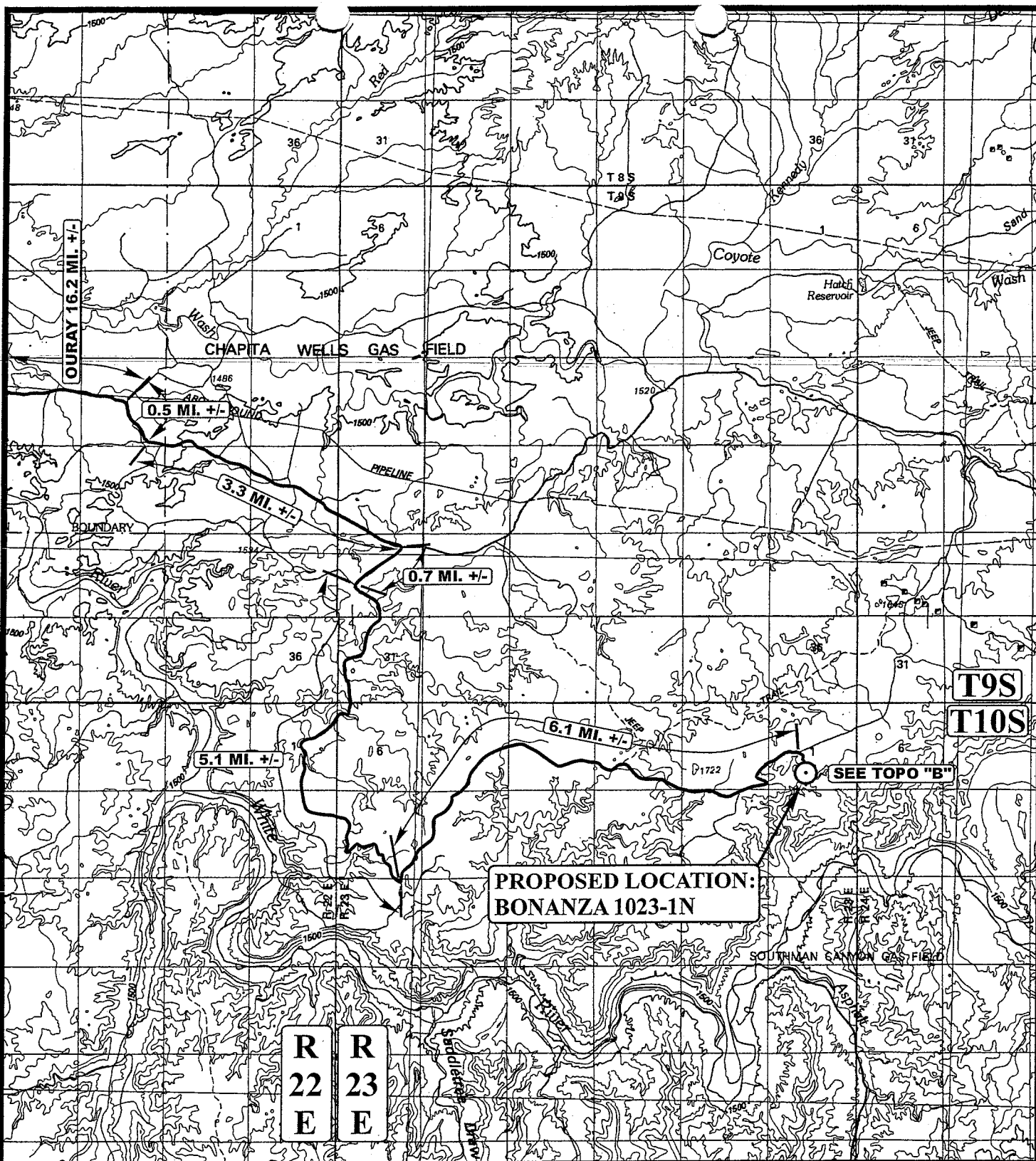
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# LEGEND:

○ PROPOSED LOCATION



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992' FSL 2274' FWL



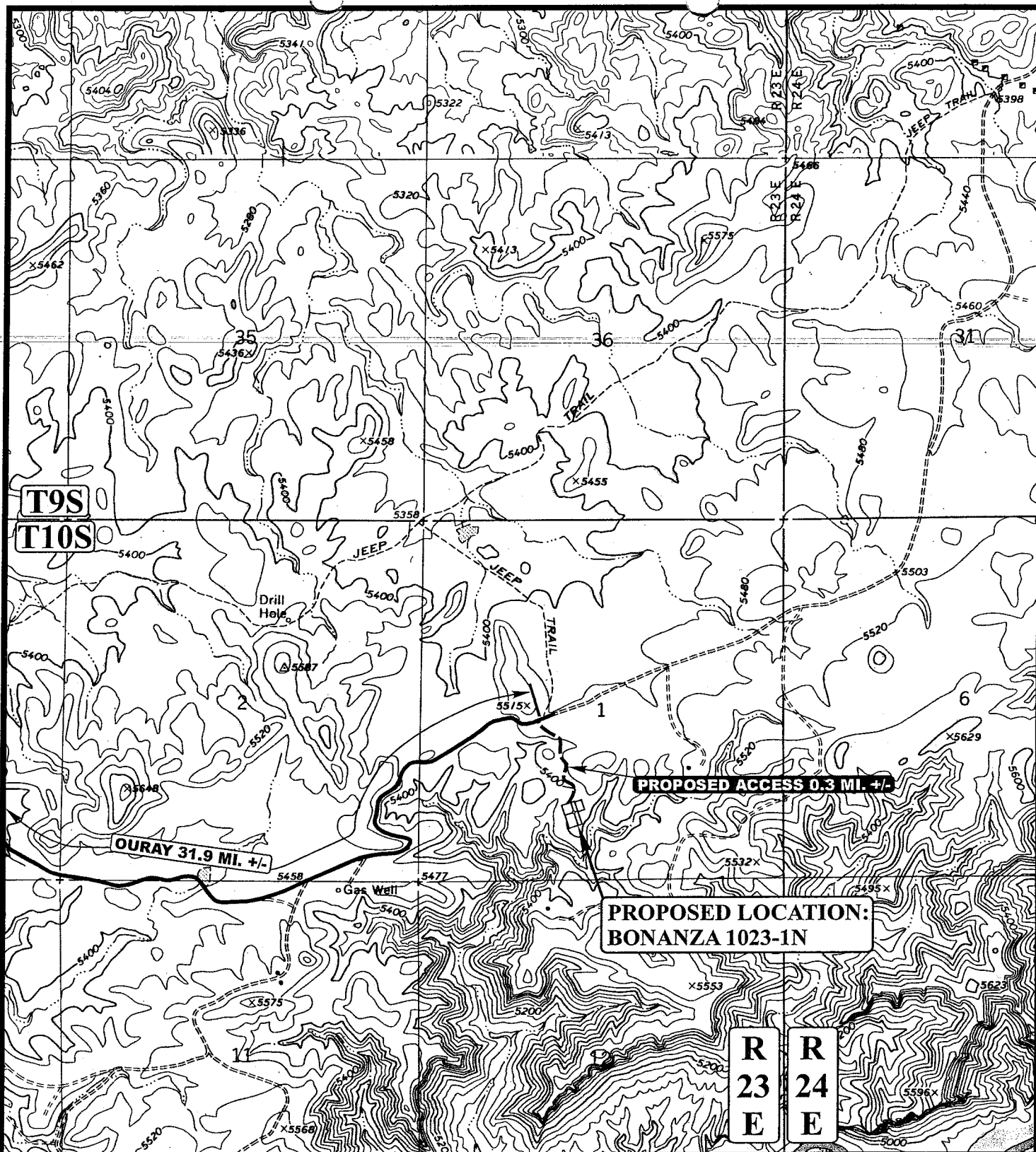
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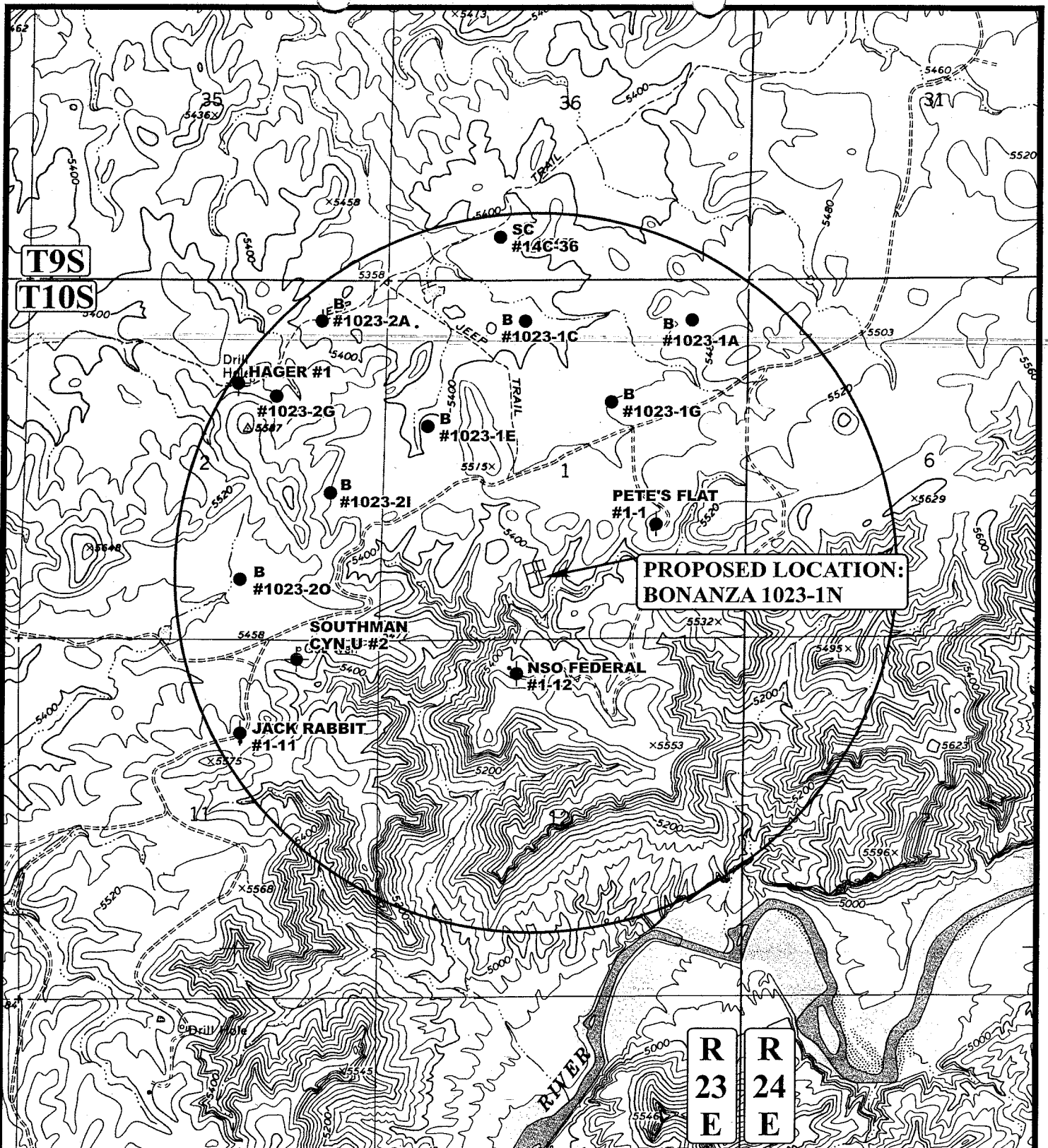
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# LEGEND:

- DISPOSAL WELLS
- PRODUCING WELLS
- SHUT IN WELLS
- WATER WELLS
- ABANDONED WELLS
- TEMPORARILY ABANDONED

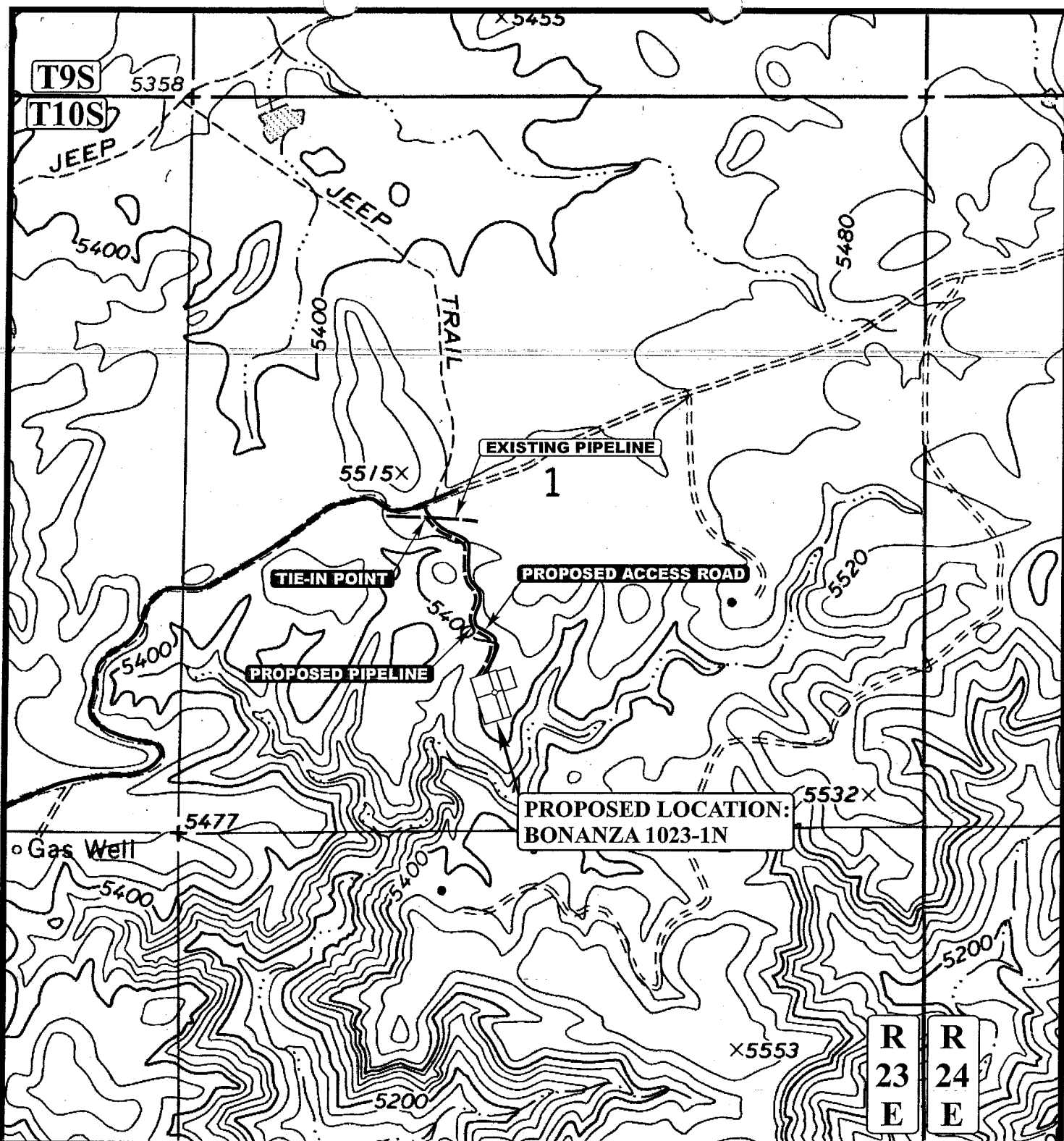
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APPROXIMATE TOTAL PIPELINE DISTANCE = 1,434' +/-

#### LEGEND:

————— PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD  
 ————— EXISTING PIPELINE  
 - - - - - PROPOSED PIPELINE



#### Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

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# Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

BONANZA #1023-1N

PIPELINE ALIGNMENT

LOCATED IN UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH

SECTION 1, T10S, R23E, S.L.B.&M.

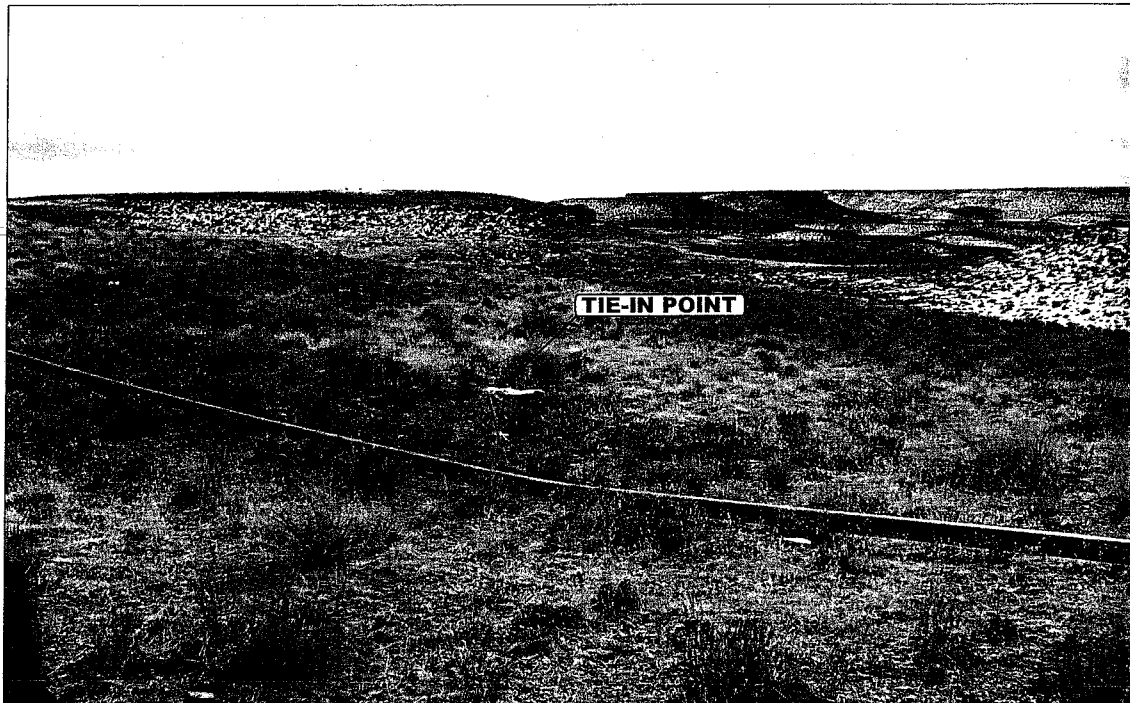


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PHOTO: VIEW OF PIPELINE ALIGNMENT

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PIPELINE PHOTOS

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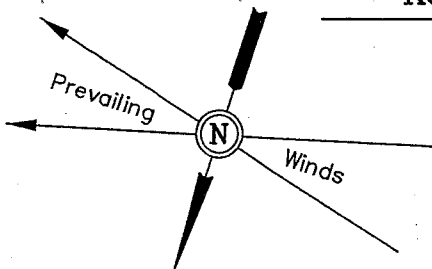
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# Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

FIGURE #1

## LOCATION LAYOUT FOR

BONANZA #1023-1N  
SECTION 1, T10S, R23E, S.L.B.&M.  
992' FSL 2274' FWL



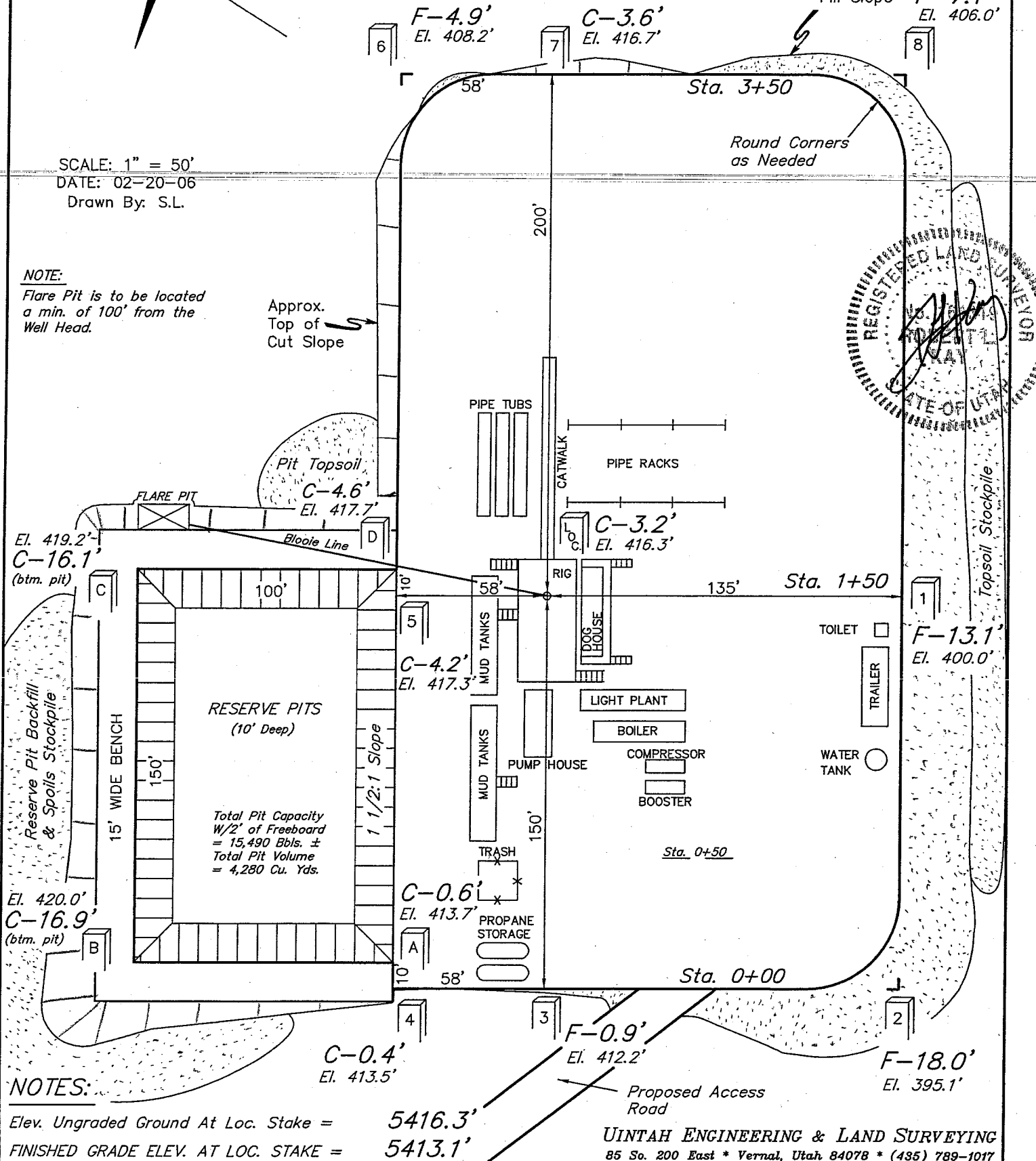
Approx.  
Toe of  
Fill Slope  
F-7.1'  
El. 406.0'

SCALE: 1" = 50'  
DATE: 02-20-06  
Drawn By: S.L.

### NOTE:

Flare Pit is to be located  
a min. of 100' from the  
Well Head.

Approx.  
Top of  
Cut Slope



### NOTES:

Elev. Ungraded Ground At Loc. Stake = 5416.3'  
FINISHED GRADE ELEV. AT LOC. STAKE = 5413.1'

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**WORKSHEET**  
**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL**

APD RECEIVED: 06/20/2006

API NO. ASSIGNED: 43-047-38301

WELL NAME: BONANZA 1023-1N

OPERATOR: KERR-MCGEE OIL & GAS ( N2995 )

CONTACT: SHEILA UPCHEGO

PHONE NUMBER: 435-781-7024

**PROPOSED LOCATION:**

SESW 01 100S 230E

SURFACE: 0992 FSL 2274 FWL

BOTTOM: 0992 FSL 2274 FWL

COUNTY: UINTAH

LATITUDE: 39.97338 LONGITUDE: -109.2762

UTM SURF EASTINGS: 647207 NORTHINGS: 4426015

FIELD NAME: NATURAL BUTTES ( 630 )

INSPECT LOCATN BY: / /

Tech Review	Initials	Date
Engineering		
Geology		
Surface		

LEASE TYPE: 1 - Federal

LEASE NUMBER: UTU-38423

SURFACE OWNER: 1 - Federal

PROPOSED FORMATION: WSMVD

COALBED METHANE WELL? NO

**RECEIVED AND/OR REVIEWED:**

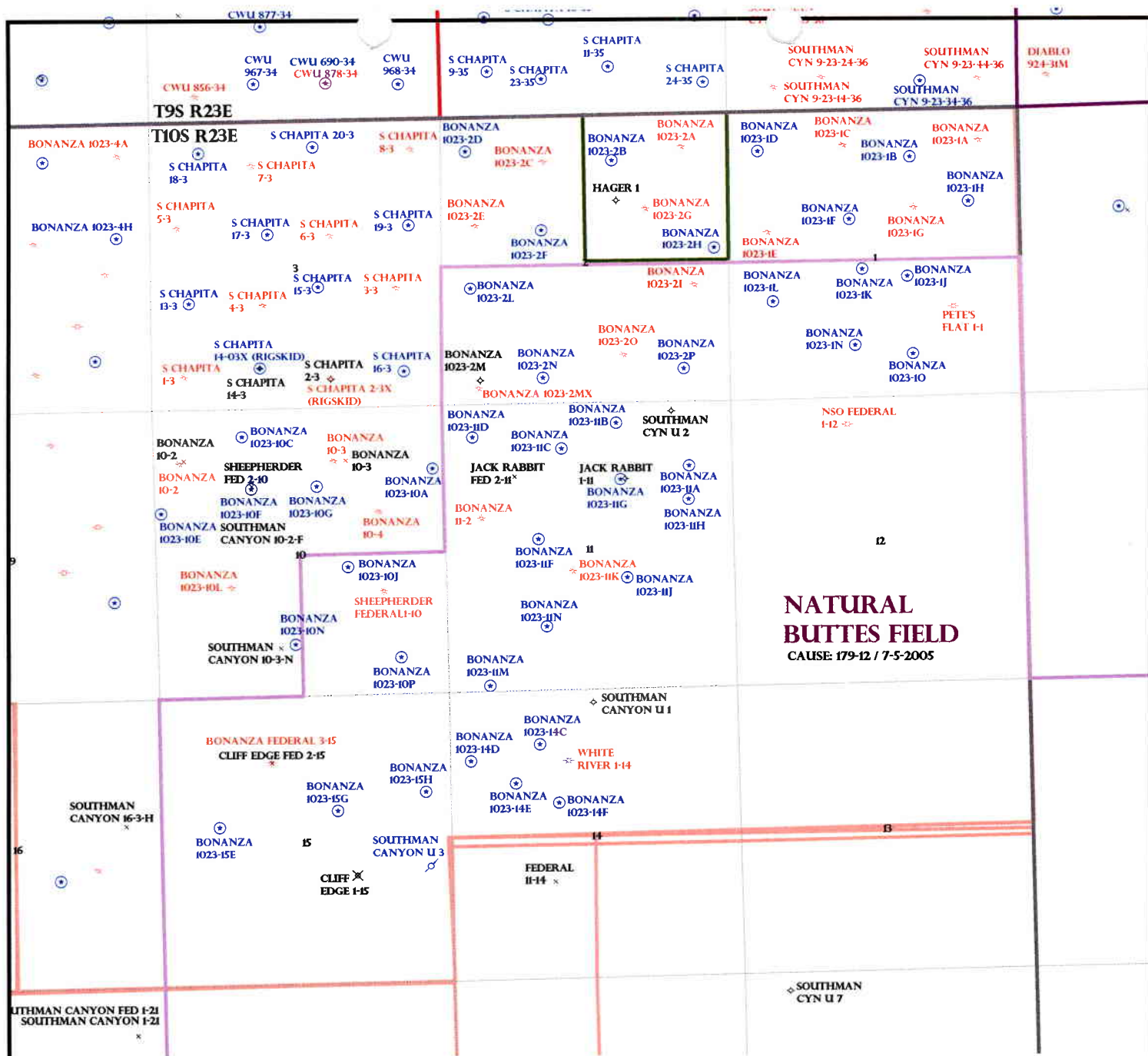
☒ Plat  
☒ Bond: Fed[1] Ind[] Sta[] Fee[]  
(No. WY-2357 )  
☒ Potash (Y/N)  
☒ Oil Shale 190-5 (B) or 190-3 or 190-13  
☒ Water Permit  
(No. 43-8496 )  
☒ RDCC Review (Y/N)  
(Date: )  
☒ Fee Surf Agreement (Y/N)  
☒ Intent to Commingle (Y/N)

**LOCATION AND SITING:**

☐ R649-2-3.  
Unit: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ R649-3-2. General  
Siting: 460 From Qtr/Qtr & 920' Between Wells  
☐ R649-3-3. Exception  
☒ Drilling Unit  
Board Cause No: 129-12  
Eff Date: 7-5-05  
Siting: 460' fr qtr & 920' fr other WUS.  
☐ R649-3-11. Directional Drill

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_

STIPULATIONS: 1- Federal Approve



OPERATOR: KERR MCGEE O&G (N2995)

SEC: 1,10,11,14,15 T. 10S R. 23E

FIELD: NATURAL BUTTES (630)

COUNTY: UINTAH

CAUSE: 179-12 / 7-5-2005

**Field Status**

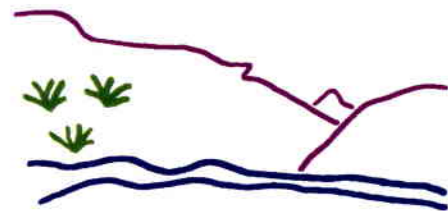
- ABANDONED
- ACTIVE
- COMBINED
- INACTIVE
- PROPOSED
- STORAGE
- TERMINATED

**Unit Status**

- EXPLORATORY
- GAS STORAGE
- NF PP OIL
- NF SECONDARY
- PENDING
- PI OIL
- PP GAS
- PP GEOTHEML
- PP OIL
- SECONDARY
- TERMINATED

**Wells Status**

- ✱ GAS INJECTION
- ✱ GAS STORAGE
- ✱ LOCATION ABANDONED
- ⊙ NEW LOCATION
- ✱ PLUGGED & ABANDONED
- ✱ PRODUCING GAS
- PRODUCING OIL
- ✱ SHUT-IN GAS
- ✱ SHUT-IN OIL
- ✱ TEMP. ABANDONED
- ✱ TEST WELL
- △ WATER INJECTION
- ⊙ WATER SUPPLY
- ⊙ WATER DISPOSAL
- ⊙ DRILLING



Utah Oil Gas and Mining



PREPARED BY: DIANA WHITNEY  
DATE: 22-JUNE-2006





**State of Utah**

**Department of  
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June 22, 2006

Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP  
1368 S 1200 E  
Vernal, UT 84078

Re: Bonanza 1023-1N Well, 992' FSL, 2274' FWL, SE SW, Sec. 1, T. 10 South,  
R. 23 East, Uintah County, Utah

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the provisions and requirements of Utah Code Ann. § 40-6-1 *et seq.*, Utah Administrative Code R649-3-1 *et seq.*, and the attached Conditions of Approval, approval to drill the referenced well is granted.

This approval shall expire one year from the above date unless substantial and continuous operation is underway, or a request for extension is made prior to the expiration date. The API identification number assigned to this well is 43-047-38301.

Sincerely,

Gil Hunt  
Associate Director

pab  
Enclosures

cc: Uintah County Assessor  
Bureau of Land Management, Vernal District Office

**Operator:** Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP  
**Well Name & Number** Bonanza 1023-1N  
**API Number:** 43-047-38301  
**Lease:** UTU-38423

**Location:** SE SW                      **Sec.** 1                      **T.** 10 South                      **R.** 23 East

### **Conditions of Approval**

1. General

Compliance with the requirements of Utah Admin. R. 649-1 *et seq.*, the Oil and Gas Conservation General Rules, and the applicable terms and provisions of the approved Application for permit to drill.

2. Notification Requirements

Notify the Division within 24 hours of spudding the well.

- Contact Carol Daniels at (801) 538-5284.

Notify the Division prior to commencing operations to plug and abandon the well.

- Contact Dan Jarvis at (801) 538-5338

3. Reporting Requirements

All required reports, forms and submittals will be promptly filed with the Division, including but not limited to the Entity Action Form (Form 6), Report of Water Encountered During Drilling (Form 7), Weekly Progress Reports for drilling and completion operations, and Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells requesting approval of change of plans or other operational actions.

4. State approval of this well does not supersede the required federal approval, which must be obtained prior to drilling.

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or reenter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0135  
Expires November 30, 2000

5. Lease Serial No.

UTU-38423

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

UTU-82190

8. Well Name and No.

BONANZA 1023-1N

9. API Well No.

4304738301

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

NATURAL BUTTES

11. County or Parish, State

UINTAH, UTAH

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1. Type of Well

☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

KERR MCGEE OIL AND GAS ONSHORE LP

3a. Address

1368 SOUTH 1200 EAST, VERNAL, UTAH 84078

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

(435)781-7003

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

992' FSL, 2274' FWL

SESW, SEC 1-T10S-R23E

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize	<input type="checkbox"/> Deepen	<input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other APD EXTENSION
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	DOGM
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recompleat horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports shall be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompleat in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.

THE OPERATOR REQUESTS AUTHORIZATION FOR A ONE YEAR EXTENSION FOR THE SUBJECT WELL LOCATION SO THAT THE DRILLING OPERATIONS MAY BE COMPLETED. THE ORIGINAL APD WAS APPROVED BY THE DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING ON JUNE 22, 2006.

Approved by the  
Utah Division of  
Oil, Gas and Mining

Date: 05-30-07  
By: [Signature]

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Name (Printed/Typed)

RAMEY HOOPES

Title

REGULATORY CLERK

Signature

[Signature: Ramey Hoopes]

Date

May 23, 2007

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE

Approved by

Title

Date

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Office

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

**Application for Permit to Drill  
Request for Permit Extension  
Validation**

(this form should accompany the Sundry Notice requesting permit extension)

**API:** 4304738301  
**Well Name:** BONANZA 1023-1N  
**Location:** SESW, SEC 1-T10S-R23E  
**Company Permit Issued to:** KERR-MCGEE OIL AND GAS ONSHORE LP  
**Date Original Permit Issued:** 6/22/2006

The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision.

Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.

If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well? Yes ☐ No ☒

Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or right-of-way, which could affect the proposed location? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has the approved source of water for drilling changed? Yes ☐ No ☒

Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation? Yes ☐ No ☒

Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well? Yes ☒ No ☐

Ramsey Hoopes pw  
Signature

5/23/2007

Date

Title: REGULATORY CLERK

Representing: KERR-MCGEE OIL AND GAS ONSHORE L

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## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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### Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

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Division Director

June 12, 2007

Raleen White  
Kerr McGee O&G Onshore LP  
1999 Broadway, Suite 3700  
Denver, CO 80202

Re: APDs Rescinded at the request of Kerr McGee O&G Onshore LP.


Dear Ms. White:

Enclosed find the list of APDs that you requested to be rescinded to Kerr McGee O&G Onshore LP. No drilling activity at these locations has been reported to the division. Therefore, approval to drill these wells is hereby rescinded, effective June 11, 2007.

A new APD must be filed with this office for approval prior to the commencement of any future work on the subject locations.

If any previously unreported operations have been performed on this well location, it is imperative that you notify the Division immediately.

Sincerely,

  
Diana Mason  
Environmental Scientist

cc: Well File  
Bureau of Land Management, Vernal



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Subject:

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Bonanza 1023-15E

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